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Local Government Consolidation and Unfunded Mandates Task Force

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Springfield, IL 62701

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AGENDA

- I. Call to Order and Roll Call
- II. Action Item: Motion to Approve the time at which to Adjourn the previous meeting
- III. Approval of meeting minutes from October 19, 2015
- IV. Approval of meeting minutes from November 3, 2015
- V. Chairman's Remarks – Lt. Governor Evelyn Sanguinetti
- VI. New Business:
 - a. Voting on Consolidation and Unfunded Mandate Proposals
 - i. Proposal #1: School District Consolidation: Provide ISBE flexibility to incentivize outcomes of consolidation.
 - ii. Proposal #2: Encourage state agencies –when allocating discretionary state and federal funds towards local governments– to encourage regional sharing of public safety equipment, facilities, training resources, and administrative functions.

- iii. Proposal #3: Merge downstate and suburban public safety pension funds into a single pension investment authority.
- iv. Proposal #4: Allow merger of general township and road & bridge districts who maintain less than 25 miles of road.
- v. Proposal #5: Protect the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act
- vi. Proposal #6: Constitutional Amendment to end all future unfunded state mandates
- vii. Proposal #7: Make collective bargaining permissive, instead of mandatory
- viii. Proposal #8: Eliminate minimum manning from collective bargaining
- ix. Proposal #9: PSEBA: Use federal definition for catastrophic injury
- x. Proposal #10: Allow arbitrators to use existing financial parameters of local government as a primary consideration during interest arbitration
- b. Better Government Association: Memo to the Local Government Consolidation and Unfunded Mandates Task Force
- c. NIU Task Force Report Update
- d. Member comments

VII. Public Comment

VIII. Adjournment